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A collection of 50 articles comprising guidelines for use of career assessment instruments by school counselors is provided. Topics addressed include: the nature of the guide, the counselor's role in career assessment, selection of career assessment instruments, interpretation of psychometric instruments in career counseling, and testing competencies and responsibilities for counselors. In addition, the guide provides descriptions and reviews of 43 major career assessment instruments. Types of instruments described and reviewed include multiple aptitude batteries, interest inventories, measures of work values, career development/maturity instruments, combined assessment programs, personality measures, and instruments for special populations. Sources of information about tests and testing, addresses of selected publishers, and a user's matrix are appended. (TJH)

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